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May 30, 2012

James L. Epps  
Superintendent of Wastewater Treatment  
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Emporia, VA 23847

CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

RE: Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) Reissuance  
VPDES No. VA0020346, Emporia Wastewater Treatment Plant

Dear Mr. Epps:

Your VPDES permit is enclosed. This permit supersedes the previous VPDES Permit VA0020346 issued to this facility. As indicated in the Fact Sheet, the permit has changed; please read the permit carefully because you are responsible for meeting all permit conditions. A Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) form is included with the permit. Please make additional copies of the DMR for future use. The first DMR required by this permit for **monthly** and **daily** monitored parameters is due no later than **July 10, 2012** for the month of June 2012. If you still have DMR data to report as required by the previous permit please submit it as an attachment to the first DMR required by this permit. Monitoring results on the DMRs should be reported to the same number of significant digits as are included in the permit limit for the parameter.

As provided by Rule 2A:2 of the Supreme Court of Virginia, you have thirty days from the date of service (the date you actually received this decision or the date it was mailed to you, whichever occurred first) within which to appeal this permit reissuance decision by filing a notice of appeal in accordance with the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia with the Director, Department of Environmental Quality. In the event that this decision is served on you by mail, three days are added to that period.

Alternatively, any owner under §§ 62.1 - 44.16, 62.1 - 44.17, and 62.1 - 44.19 of the State Water Control Law aggrieved by any action of the State Water Control Board taken without a formal hearing, or by inaction of the Board, may demand in writing a formal hearing of such owner's grievance, provided a petition requesting such hearing is filed with the Board. Said petition must meet the requirements set forth in 9VAC25-230-130 (Procedural Rule No. 1 – Petition for formal hearing). In cases involving actions of the Board, such petition must be filed within thirty days after notice of such action is mailed to such owner by certified mail.

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If you have any questions about the permit, please contact Janine Howard at (804) 527-5046 or Janine.howard@deq.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,



Curtis Linderman, P.E.  
Water Permit Manager

Enclosure: Permit No. VA0020346

cc: EPA, Region III-3WP12  
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